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App. No. : 09/970,059  
Filed : October 2, 2001  
For : METHODS FOR  
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VIDEO FOR DECODING  
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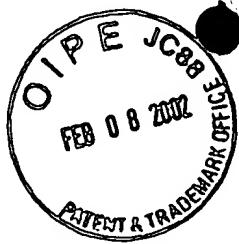
Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Under 37 CFR 1.53(f),  
which was mailed by the Office on **November 6, 2001**, enclosed are:

- (x) An executed Declaration by Inventor.
- (x) A Power of Attorney Form and Copy of Assignment.
- (x) An extension of time to respond for one month is hereby requested.

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- (x) A Notice to File Missing Parts.
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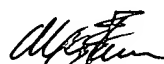
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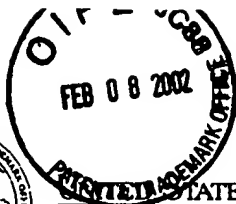
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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